

HOW MRS. PAGE GOT SCOURGE IS MYSTERY

Doctors Unable to Explain Source of Infection—First Case in Exclusive Colony.

GARDEN CITY, Long Island, Aug. 12.—How Mrs. Frank Copeland Page, daughter-in-law of the American ambassador to Great Britain, contracted infantile paralysis which caused her death yesterday, must remain a mystery. Physicians today declared they are unable to advance a theory.

Mrs. Page had been ill only two days. She and Mr. Page were married June 7 at her parents' home and returned from their honeymoon trip a month ago. They went to live at 115 Fourth street, South Garden City, until their own residence should be completed. The house was finished a few days ago, and Mrs. Page and her husband had been making frequent shopping trips to the city to purchase the furnishings which were to go into the new home.

In the midst of these preparations Mrs. Page complained of a slight illness and Dr. John R. Herick, of Hempstead, was summoned. Soon she found it difficult to bend her neck forward. Paralysis of the respiratory organs set in. Experts on poliomyelitis were called, who confirmed the diagnosis and did everything known to science, but Mrs. Page sank steadily until the hour of her death.

This is one of the very rare instances where the plague has struck into the heart of an exclusive and naturally healthy colony such as that at Garden City. Ambassador and Mrs. Page returned from England on the Philadelphia yesterday. He told ship news reporters his sole object was to get a rest and to visit his sons and his new daughter-in-law. He and Mrs. Page were met here with the news of their daughter-in-law's illness, and from the Garden City Hotel kept in close touch with their son's residence by telephone.

There will be brief private services this afternoon at the residence, and interment will be made Tuesday in Fort Hill Cemetery at Auburn.

Mrs. Katherine Setton Page was twenty-five years of age, and a daughter of Dr. Frederick Setton, of Auburn, N. Y. Her husband, Frank Copeland Page, is a member of the publishing firm of Doubleday, Page & Co., which has its plant at Garden City.

CARRANZA GUARDING AGAINST PARALYSIS

Orders All Ships From New York Inspected and Fumigated.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 12.—General Carranza has declared a quarantine against the city of New York on account of the infantile paralysis epidemic prevailing there.

Ships arriving at Gulf ports will be fumigated and subjected to rigid inspection. The board of health is taking measures to prevent the disease from spreading to Mexico.

The health authorities have asked the government to appropriate \$10,000 to fight a suspicious disease which has appeared on the Isthmus of Panama. It is feared it is yellow fever. Sanitary officials have arrived in the Isthmus.

NAVY QUARANTINES 1,500 AT NEWPORT

Two Recruits Stricken With Infantile Paralysis.

NEWPORT, Aug. 12.—The United States naval authorities are bending their energies to prevent the spread of infantile paralysis at the United States naval training school, where two cases have developed in the last week. Quarantine has been declared and the 1,500 or more recruits stationed on Coaster Island, have been deprived of shore leave privileges.

Both cases have been traced to New York city, the enlistment place of the afflicted marines.

With Newport thronged with summer visitors and with so many young recruits at the school the naval authorities view the situation with grave concern.

The outbreak of the disease among the recruits has been kept secret by the naval authorities in the hope of preventing an infantile paralysis scare at Newport.

Blind for 62 Years, Woman Now Sees

Mother Finds Son Most Beautiful Sight When Light Supplants Darkness.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Dawn peeped into the window of the St. Francis and found a woman waiting. A bird chirped on the sill.

"So this is day," mused the woman, "and that is a bird, and those are the flowers. It is all just as I dreamed it would be."

"Yes," repeated the nurse, "this is day and that is a bird, and those are flowers."

"The woman is Mrs. Mary O'Farrell, who saw daylight for the first time. She had been blind for sixty-two years. Dr. Aaron Green had performed the operation that brought light out of darkness."

"And what is the most beautiful thing you hope to see?" inquired the nurse.

"I have already seen it," was the reply. "It was my boy, my great, big boy, whom I never saw until today."

Mrs. O'Farrell's son is twenty-four years old. At his own suggestion he was presented to her as a physician. But the instant he spoke she was in his arms. To her eyes he was a stranger, but she recognized his voice.

TURNED SEARCHLIGHT ON COUPLE ON PORCH

DETROIT, Aug. 12.—Miss Dora Wetzel, twenty, pretty and vivacious, simply can't stand having anybody flash a searchlight upon her when she is entertaining "company" on the front porch.

Dora was before Justice Stein charged with slapping the face of Marie Schenk. Dora denied the charge. She told the judge of the "awful searchlight" that they flashed upon her whenever a friend was sitting on the porch and—well, every time we were on the porch.

She told of her pleadings with the flasher, of her attempts to reason with the woman on the strength that she herself was once young and—

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Capt. Koenig's Wife Loyal to Britain

English Woman Who Wed Deutschland's Skipper Now Residing in London Suburbs.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The Daily Mail says that Captain Koenig, of the Deutschland, who was married some fifteen years ago in Winchester to an English woman, who now resides in a London suburb, she was staying in Bremerhaven when the war broke out.

Although practically the only English woman in an important German naval port, Mrs. Koenig is unwavering in her patriotism. She said yesterday:

"Although I might technically be a German by marriage, I am English through and through, and when I said to my husband, 'You do not expect me to take sides against my own country,' he replied, 'No, every one must stand by his own country in these times. You would not be worth your salt if you carried a torch for me, but I am sure he has never been in a submarine before. I expect he was selected for this command because of his extensive acquaintance with American ports and Americans.'"

"I have not heard directly from my husband from that day to this," she continued, "although once or twice I heard indirectly that he was well. I am sure he has never been in a submarine before. I expect he was selected for this command because of his extensive acquaintance with American ports and Americans.""

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CHICAGO FINANCIER DEFENDS WHEAT MEN

Denies Sensational Rise in Prices Is Due to Anything But Natural Causes.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—With wheat, flour, and provision prices up much higher than they were a week ago, and threats of a Federal investigation rumored among wheat brokers, President J. E. Griffin, of the Chicago Board of Trade, has come to the defense of traders with the statement that the rise is due to wholly natural causes of supply and demand.

"There is but one explanation for the rise," said Griffin. "Insufficient production of wheat the world over to meet the consumptive requirements. A careful analysis of the figures will reveal the cause for prevailing high prices of wheat."

"For instance, the Winnipeg market closed at \$1.46 for December wheat yesterday, up from \$1.47 in the Chicago market. The situation does not hold out any hope for materially low prices unless the Dardanelles can be forced, thus throwing open to the consuming nations of the world the three years surplus grain stored in Russia."

As yet bread bakers have made no move to boost the price of bread here, though they have considered plans to eliminate the nickel loaf for the 10-cent loaf.

New-made millionaires raced fast cars today as a result of the sensational jump in wheat. Clerks who braced lunch counters two weeks ago counted their profits in thousands of dollars. Loop restaurants perked up new life while "get-rich-quickers" spent part of their newly won profits.

When the gong sounded in the pit yesterday, the wheat market advanced 2 1/2 cents for September and December, and 11 cents for May in the last two weeks. Gains of 8 cents, 7 1/2 cents, and 7 1/2 cents were made for this week in September, December, and May, respectively.

Sister Lusitania Victim, Brother Dies in Battle

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 12.—Miss Allison Buchanan, of this place, has received a cablegram that her brother, Robert, had been killed in battle in France.

Her sister, Mary, perished when the Lusitania was sunk, and Robert, to avenge her death, departed at once from the United States and enlisted in a British battalion.

Miss Buchanan, heartbroken over the loss of her sister, is prostrated by the news of her brother's death.

Odor of River Bad, Swim Back to Cells

Two Escaping Protectors Inmates Are Bailed by Waters of the Passaic.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Because they could not stand the smell of Passaic river, Andrew McCormack and Joseph Cunningham, who had escaped from the Catholic Protectors at Arlington, N. J., swam ashore to be arrested by Patrolman Meade.

After forcing several locks last night, McCormack broke out of the protector, taking Cunningham with him. Patrolmen Meade and Van Der Beek found them sleeping on a lumber pile, but both jumped into the river. They came back after getting part way across.

"I'm a regular U-boat when it comes to swimming," said McCormack. "But I can't stand the smell of that river."

U. S. Envoys to Report On Wartime Problems

First hand information on the attitude of the London and Paris foreign offices on the question of the British blockade, Polish relief, and other subjects which concern the allies jointly will be secured by President Wilson and Secretary Lansing upon the arrival of Ambassadors Sharp, of Paris, and Page, of London.

While State Department officials deny that either is coming to make any personal report, undoubtedly the situation respecting this Government's attitude on retaliatory legislation as an answer to the British blockade will be discussed.

Ambassador Page, who is now in New York, will come to Washington tomorrow or Tuesday. Mr. Sharp will not come until about August 21.

The British embassy yesterday denied knowledge of the report that no less than forty seizures and detention of American products consignment to the Netherlands Overseas Trust had been made by the Great Britain government. They said they knew of only one detained cargo, which later was released.

Wants Reporters To Try Writing In Airship

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Promoters of the New York Flying Yacht Club, which will establish a hydro-aeroplane station on the Hudson near 128th street, are urging newspaper writers to join the organization. Augustus Post, an aviator, says they will see if reporters can cover assignments by aeroplane.

With the hydro-aeroplane station in opened Mr. Post plans to have a reporter travel to his office as a passenger in an airplane and to write his story on the way.

ANOTHER ATROCITY NOW LAID TO WAR

"Pipe Dreams" Threatened By Shortage of French Briar.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The horrors of war have hit the pipe smokers of the country. It was learned today that there is a shortage of French briar out of which pipes are made.

Pipe manufacturers are desperate. They are said to have appealed to Uncle Sam to help them solve the problem of furnishing the nation with pipes, and the Forestry Service is experimenting with different woods in an effort to find a substitute for French briar.

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MRS. L. L. BROWN, 715 K St. N. E.

Brookland, D. C., July 21, 1916. Classified Advertising Manager, The Washington Times.

Dear Sir—I saw your classified ad. on the Ladies' Capital Hat Shop. So I decided to tell you my experience there. I took my old Panama Hat down not thinking they could clean it decent as it was as black as coal. When I got it I felt safe in recommending it as white as snow. I took it home and when I wore it every one thought I had on a new hat. This is my recommendation of the Capital Hat Shop and I advise any one who wishes to have their hat cleaned to go there. Yours respectfully,

MISS MARJORIE WALL, 3215 Ninth St. N. E.

Washington, D. C., July 26, 1916. Classified Advertising Manager, The Washington Times.

Dear Sir—I had an old hat I was about to destroy and as I read in The Times classified ad. of good results being obtained in the remodeling of old hats at the Vienna Hat Factory I thought I would try them. My hat returned like new. I feel safe in recommending any one to them. Yours respectfully,

ANNA POTZLER, 1200 G St. S. E.

Washington, D. C., July 24, 1916. Classified Advertising Manager, The Washington Times.

As an amateur photographer (very amateur) and living in the vicinity of Hoberger's, 2004 14th St. N. W., I had to go into that store for films and after those had been sent to me to the same place for development. What impressed me most was not the polite attention received—that one looks for—but the fact that the proprietor takes the trouble to explain to the customer the cause of each failure, how to remedy such fault, how to hold the camera and other important matters pertaining thereto. I have proved since that certain of these hints were correct. My later success in the manipulation of the camera is itself a sufficient proof. I am yours truly,

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